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Case No. 7814/45

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Milan Mrksich et al.

Serial No: 09/923,760

Examiner: Mary E. Ceperley

Filed: August 7, 2001

Group Art Unit: 1641

For: Polypeptide Immobilization

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated May 28, 2003 for a period of two month(s).



Applicant:



claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.



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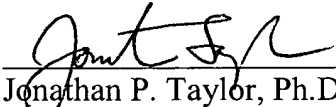
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- ☒ Attached is a check for \$210 for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$_____ for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

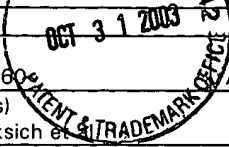
Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 10/28/23


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		TRANSMITTAL LETTER		Case No. 7814/45
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Inventor(s) Milan Mrksich et al				
Title of Invention Polypeptide Immobilization				

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Amendment and Request for Reconsideration, Assignment Recordal Sheet, Assignment, check for \$40 and return postcard.

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Petition for a two month extension of time and check for \$210.

☐ No additional fee is required.

☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total		Minus			x \$9 =			x \$18 =	
Indep.		Minus			x 43 =			x \$86 =	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$145 =			+ \$290 =	
					Total add'l fee	\$		Total add'l fee	\$

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☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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